

Amendments to the Specification

On page 1, please replace the paragraph on lines 3-5 with the following amended paragraph:

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Ser. No. ~~60/234,002~~ 60/234,022, filed September 20, 2000, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

On page 3, please replace the paragraph on lines 10-15 with the following amended paragraph:

The converter **220** includes four FETs **221**, a capacitor **222** and an inductor **223**. The RSN includes a capacitor **251** in series with the load **260**. For operation near 2 MHz, the capacitor ~~**223**~~**251** may have a value of 1.5uF, and a second capacitor **252** in parallel with the load may have a value of 1.7uF. The second capacitor **252** is in series with a second inductor **253**, which may have a value of 4uH. Operation at higher frequency will use smaller component values.